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Emma: Wow Maia, where have the years gone by? It felt like it was just yesterday that we were little children in form 2, uncertain about our future and now look at us, form 7, heading off to university, even more lost than when we started our journey 6 years ago.

Maia: What a time we've had. Who knew you would be going to Concordia and I'd be heading off to Ottawa. Looking back, I think it's safe to say that we've shared some great memories together. Remember when you were a seaweed for our first Carnival skit in Form 2?

Emma: Ahh yes, I looked amazing in that costume, I also remember destroying Ross house and claiming victory that year. Good times.

Maia: How about when we would close all the lights in the gym lockers, sneak around and try to scare each other. Those were the good old days.

Emma: That's pretty bad, at least not everything we did was super embarrassing. Who could forget when you won MVP for softball as a form 2, that's impressive if you ask me.

Maia: Sure, really impressive... but what was actually cool was when you played for the senior girl's rugby team in form 3! Only 14 years old and already a rugby all-star.

Emma: Oh Maia, you're too kind. Remember when we were in yearbook committee together?

Maia: Yup, another tie we added to our collection! Oh, and I remember seeing you on stage for your first and last BCS drama production "I Never Saw Another Butterfly".

Emma: Let's not forget about crushing it in our debates. Our best one together was in form 4 in Mr. Crowther's class.

Maia: And we won! This brings me back to when we were both drummers in band and were awarded the music prize in Form 4 too.

Emma: Ya our drum solos were pretty embarrassing. What about the time we got gated with Mathilde because we didn't sign out to Lenn but checked back in

Maia: Yeah...the worst part was that I wasn't even a boarding student. One of my favourite memories was being on carnival committee.

Emma: Agreed. Our skit is quite hard to top. Also, driving lessons with Sue were always a good time.

Maia: Definitely the best Tecnic driving teacher. Do you remember travelling to Victoria, BC for CAIS rugby and taking our ice bath in the freezing lake?

Emma: That's a trip I won't forget. Form 6 was a busy year: we were dining hall committee members, house captains and I even went to Switzerland for a Round Square conference.

Maia: Oh yes. Do you remember when you got cut from wardens?

Emma: Yeah...that's still a sore subject, but it's okay because I still made prefect with you.

Maia: Let's not forget to mention that we won Mini world cup this year!! GO QUEBEC

Emma: Yeah, at the beginning of the year, you went to South Africa and Namibia for the Round Square International Conference and I went to Senegal for a service project organized by the school. It was pretty amazing.

Maia: Ya, it was the best part of form 7 until we weren't. Hey don't you think it's funny how we both traveled to Africa this year?

Emma: Woohoo! Oh and didn't you find it cool to be Head Drummer this year?

Maia: It was! But I mean, you were Commanding Officer...that's like awesome.

Emma: Who would have imagined we would accomplish so much during our time here.

Maia: We are extremely grateful for all the people we have met and couldn't have done it without all their love and support.

Emma: It was truly an amazing high school experience.

Thank you BCS!

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